



07/715439

#3/BGP  
7-12-91

38942-DIV

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Anjaneyulu S. Tadepalli, et al.

SER. NO. : Division of 07/367,090

FILED :

FOR : COMPOUNDS FOR USE IN MEDICINE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In the claims:

Claim 1, line 1, cancel "prophylaxis or".

Please add the following claims:

10. A method of treating pulmonary hypertension in a patient, which comprises administering to said patient an effective pulmonary hypertension treatment amount of the compound 9-deoxy-2',9 $\alpha$ -methano-3-oxa-4,5,6-trinor-3,7-(1', 3' $\epsilon$ ) interphenylene)-13,14-dihydro-prostaglandin F<sub>1</sub>.
11. A method of treating pulmonary hypertension in a patient, which comprises administering to said patient an effective pulmonary hypertension treatment amount of a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of the compound 9-deoxy-2',9 $\alpha$ -methano-3-oxa-4,5,6-trinor-3,7-(1', 3'-interphenylene)-13,14-dihydro-prostaglandin F<sub>1</sub>.

END